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For: METHOD OF CONTROLLING SOIL INSECTS WITH PHENYLPYRAZOLES	)	

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and accompanying form PTO-1449 for the above-identified patent application.

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Sir:

In compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, applicants are filing herewith a Form PTO-1449 listing documents for consideration by the Examiner, and one copy of each of the listed documents. The present application is the U.S. national phase of PCT/FR00/02460. Copies of the International Search Report (ISR) and the International Preliminary Examination Report (IPER) in both French and English for PCT/FR00/02460 were submitted when applicants commenced the U.S. national phase

on March 7, 2002; applicants are supplying additional copies herewith for the Examiner's convenience.

The documents listed on Form PTO-1449 include all of the documents cited in the ISR and the IPER, as well as documents cited in the instant specification. The documents are all in English, except for the following, for which the following remarks are offered.

EP 0836386 is in French. WO 97/01278, also in French, from which EP 0836386 originated, is also provided, together with an English translation. In addition, EP 0836386 is summarized on page 1 of the specification.

WO 97/04654 is in French. Applicants are filing herewith a full English-language translation. Also, the English-language ISR and IPER serves as the requisite concise statement of relevance.

With respect to the various abstracts provided, i.e. XP 002135102, XP 002135103, XP 002135105 and XP 002135104, full copies of the original references are not readily available to applicants or their representatives at this time. Likewise, with the exception of XP 002135102 for which an English translation is attached to the abstract, English translations of the Japanese-language documents are not readily available to applicants or their representatives at this time. However, the English language ISR and IPER serve as the requisite brief statements of relevance for XP 002135103 and XP 002135105.

It is to be noted that applicants are also submitting a copy of the U.S. counterpart of EP 0295117, namely Hatton et al U.S. Patent No. 5,232,940, which corresponds in part to EP 0295117, although this is not required because the European document is in English.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider this statement and the accompanying papers and documents and return an initialed copy of applicants' Form PTO-1449 to the undersigned.

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